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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/707,443	11/07/2000	Steve King	CROSS1350-1	9726

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DECREASING ROUTING LATENCY FOR SWITCHING PLATFORMS WITH VARIABLE CONFIGURATION

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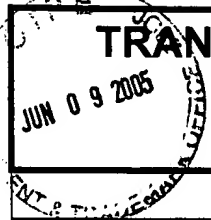
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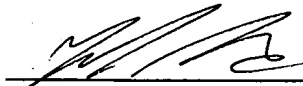
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Applicant(s) <b>Steve King</b>					
Application No. <b>09/707,443</b>	Filing Date <b>11/07/2000</b>	Examiner <b>Roberta A. Stevens</b>	Group Art Unit <b>2665</b>	Confirmation No. <b>9726</b>	
Title: <b>Method and System for Decreasing Routing Latency for Switching Platforms with Variable Configuration</b>					

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